

HAVEN HERE FOR FOREIGN STUDENTS

Cosmopolitan Club No. 14 Has Members From Ten Nationalities.

ITS CHARTER JUST RECEIVED

Even an American of Proper Spirit Can Join if He Wishes.

The Cosmopolitan Club of the University of Missouri has been regularly established. It has just received its charter. If you can prove that you were born in some country other than the United States, be it anything from Terre del Fuego to Greenland, you can become a member, and you will go in "hands down." Or if you are an American with the proper cosmopolitan spirit, you may become a member.

The club organized at the close of school last year is now in a flourishing condition. The new charter, received from the Association of Cosmopolitan clubs of the United States, with headquarters at the University of Wisconsin, shows that the chapter at the University of Missouri, is the fourteenth chapter to be established in this country. The membership of forty-five means that it ranks tenth in membership, among American Universities.

The officers and committees of the club have made arrangements for a reception for the members and foreign students at the University next Saturday evening in the parlors of Academic Hall. A program has been arranged of speeches by President C. C. Eckhardt, and the members.

The establishment of a chapter of the Cosmopolitan club at the University of Missouri is a very important step forward, for it means that the foreign student who has come thousands of miles will receive the glad "hand," and will be encouraged to remain, and will persuade his friends to come, instead of being isolated as a curiosity as has been the rule heretofore.

Here Are the Members.

- Jacob Kalina, Russia.
- Julian Groszewski, Poland.
- M. Akamatsu, Japan.
- Toda Cho, Japan.
- Albert P. Weiss, Germany.
- Boleslaus Szymoniak, Poland.
- Arturo Bordato, Argentine Republic.
- Edward Felgate, London, Eng.
- James Ware, Kent, Eng.
- Tome Kitagawa, Japan.
- Jose Bianchi, Argentine Republic.
- Gariano Iribarne, Argentine Republic.
- Hin Wong, China.
- M. B. Griffin, Egypt.
- C. C. Eckhardt, United States.
- J. B. Powell, United States.
- Ernest B. Miller, Australia.
- Warren H. Orr, United States.
- Paul D. Higbee, United States.
- Carl A. Schwarz, United States.
- Charles F. Loomis, United States.
- Charles Summers, United States.
- B. O. Brown, United States.
- Roy R. Essig, United States.
- C. P. Davenport, United States.
- E. Rulisy, United States.
- F. S. Kurozawa, Japan.
- Lloyd Y. Spragg, United States.
- Johnson D. Hill, United States.
- J. F. Sievers, United States.
- Silverman, United States.
- Roadhouse, United States.
- A. H. Kiskaddon, United States.

MORE RHODES SCHOLARS

Two Will Be Chosen from Missouri Next Year.

Under terms of the will of Cecil Rhodes, two additional scholarships in Oxford University, Eng., are to be awarded in Missouri next fall. The Rhodes scholarships entitle the student to a three years' course of study in Oxford, at an allowance of \$1,500 a year.

Qualifying examination for those desiring to compete will be held at the University of Missouri in October, 1909. Candidates will be examined in Latin, Greek, and mathematics.

Dr. W. G. Manly, professor of Greek, urges those who desire to compete for the scholarships to begin work at once. He will advise any students in reference to the work, especially to that in Greek.

Government Printers Get More Pay.

By United Press. WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 2.—By order of President Roosevelt, employees of the Government Printing Office will get an increase in wages of ten cents an hour. This makes the daily wages \$4.80.

FRESHMAN, A-HUNTING SNIPES, ENCOUNTERS A SOW AND LOSES HAT

Henry Friede Has Adventurous Night On The Banks of Classic Hinkson Creek.

Henry Friede, a freshman in the University of Missouri, living at 115 Hitt street, got his first experience as a snipe-hunter a couple of nights ago.

With some upper classmen, Henry went out south of Columbia to the banks of Hinkson creek, where, says the Oldest Inhabitant, "Gene Field used to go for inspiration to write verses. Near Lovers' Leap the hunt began.

To Henry was given the privilege of holding the sack in one hand and the candle in the other. He waited a long, long time for the birds to come, but none came. The upper classmen became tired and went home, but the new hunter was persistent.

Finally, after two or three hours, he started home. It was dark and he fell down the bank and lost his hat. A little further on, he stepped on a sow, which became angry. At this point, Henry ends the story of his adventures.

But the Sophomores can tell the rest.

TOWN IN DARKNESS. MATCHES LIGHT WAY ALONG THE STREETS

Lampadrome, Plus Columbia Hop, Amusing to All but Those Who Took Part.

A dynamo at the town lighting plant had a grouch last night, and Columbia was plunged into darkness. Incandescent globes lost their brilliancy, and burned dull red, like hot embers.

Those who could, stayed at home. To venture forth was attended with peril to footwear. The rain yesterday afternoon converted street crossings into mud paths, and pedestrians lighted their way across them with matches.

Thus illumined, the somewhat eccentric Columbia hop, acquired in stepping airily over the limestone crossings here, assumed a weird aspect. To those who watched from their front porches it was funny.

The darkness brought a boon to the Freshmen. All headgear looked alike in the dark, and they were practically immune from the paddles of the relentless Sophomore.

AMALGAMATED ORDER UMBRELLA CARRIERS GATHERING STRENGTH

Forecast Is for More Rain Hereabouts, and Temperature Remains Low.



The Amalgamated Order of Umbrella Carriers was organized yesterday in Columbia, and gained many charter recruits today. The official bulletin announcing that a charter had been granted was issued in this form by High President Reader:

"Probably showers tonight and Thursday." The temperature was 65 degrees at 7 a. m., 74 at 2 p. m.

PRESIDENT TO GIVE TIME TO POLITICS

He Will Take the Stump for Taft if Necessary.

By United Press. WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 23.—Only a few important matters of government awaited the attention of President Roosevelt on his return to duty today. He will devote himself largely to politics during the rest of the campaign.

It was announced at the White House that the President would reply to Bryan's message in detail. If he deems it necessary, it is declared the President will take the stump for Taft.

CLASS RUSH POSTPONED

- The Sophomore-Freshman class
- rush at the University of Missouri,
- which was originally set for tonight,
- will be held Friday night
- around the light pole at the north
- end of the quadrangle, according
- to a decision arrived at shortly
- before 2 o'clock this afternoon by
- the committee of upper classmen.
- The rainy weather and the fact
- that the date has not been well
- advertised were the reasons for
- postponing the fight.

WHO'S NEXT IN THE FACULTY?



MISSOURI CATTLE WINNERS AT SHOW

University Stock Judging Team Gets Ovation at St. Joseph.

HALBRED STAMP IS CHAMPION

Hereford and Angus Steers Take Five Out of Six Firsts.

Special to University Missourian

ST. JOSEPH, Sept. 23.—The Missouri University stock judging team, which is carrying off honors. The Hereford bullock, Halbred Stamp, won first in his class and champion over all classes.

Out of a possible six firsts, Missouri's Hereford and Angus steers won five firsts. The Galloways were up against large entries and won second prize. The grade steers in all classes made a remarkably showing.

In the judging teams there are students from Iowa, Kansas and Missouri. The Missouri boys received a great ovation and stand good chances of winning first prize in the judging contest.

Halbred Stamp, the pure bred yearling Hereford, is red with white face and legs. He was bred by Cornish & Patten of Osborne, Mo., was bought by the University when a calf and shown as a calf last year. As a calf he won the following prizes:

- Second prize at the Inter State Fair at Elm Ridge, Kan.
- First prize at Missouri State Fair, Sedalia.
- First prize at American Royal, Kansas City.
- Third prize at the International in the open class and
- Second prize at the International in the College classes.

SAVITAR WILL GIVE PRIZES FOR PICTURES

Cash Award Also Offered For Literary Production.

The editorial staff which is to publish the '09 Savitar, the student annual of the University of Missouri, has announced a series of prizes to be given for contributions to the book. For the best camera picture of a University "stunt," or campus view, the staff will give a prize of \$5. Similar prizes will be given for the best art production for the Savitar and for the best material submitted for the literary department of the book.

The contests will close March 1, and the judges will be selected by the staff. All members of the student body of the University are eligible to enter with the exception of those on the staff and the official photographer.

The Savitar staff expects to offer a number of other prizes during the year for various forms of contributions to the book.

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OSTRICH BOWLS OVER TWO MEN

"Big Chicken" Escapes at Fair and Injures Negro and Keeper.

THEY THOUGHT IT HARMLESS

"That's a Two-Laired Mule," Says the Black After Retreating.

MINNEOLA, I. L., Sept. 23.—Just because they thought an ostrich was a timid, harmless sort of creature, two men, one white and one black, were badly hurt here yesterday. Each of the men tried to catch and hold an ostrich at the Mineola Fair Grounds. The negro was kicked in the face, and landed about twenty feet from the bird; the white man was kicked in the chest, knocked down and had his clothes half torn off him.

The ostrich that did all the damage is named Fleetwing. He and another ostrich, named Fleetfoot, arrived from Florida in two crates yesterday morning. They were brought to Mineola to race on the Fair Grounds this week at the fair of the Queens-Nassau County Agricultural Society. The birds have been trained to run races and pull light sulkeys to which they are harnessed.

They are bad tempered, however, and are kept blindfolded frequently when they are not racing. A blindfolded ostrich is gentle as a lamb. The bird escaped from a crate. The blinding hood slipped off the eyes of Fleetwing at the Fair Grounds yesterday morning and in an instant the big bird was out of its crate, which was not covered. It started off on a run, and about two hundred persons ran after it. There was a merry chase around and around the racing track, and finally the ostrich was cornered by Fred H. Post, who was mounted.

A big negro looked at the ostrich and said: "I reckon there ain't no chicken ever were raised that I couldn't hold, boss. I'll hold his laig, an' then you grab his haid."

The negro wrapped his arms about one of Fleetwing's legs, and in a second was lifted into the air and landed about twenty feet away, with an ugly wound in the side of his face. Then Keeper Ford approached the ostrich from the front, and got an uppercut on his diaphragm, cutting his chest and tearing his clothes. Finally the ostrich was roped and recaptured.

"That ain't no chicken," said the negro as he watched these proceedings from a safe distance. "That there's a two-laiged mule."

TRAIN PLUNGES INTO WATER FROM BRIDGE

Breaking of Span Believed to Have Cost Several Lives.

By United Press. WILMINGTON, Del., Sept. 23.—A span of the Baltimore and Ohio Railway over the Susquehanna river fell last night, letting a train drop into the stream far below.

Several are reported killed and one body has been recovered.

TINY STUDENT IS A CARNEGIE HERO

Lyndon B. Phifer, Budding Journalist, Saved Lad From Train.

GOT \$2,000 TO PAY SCHOOLING

When Fourteen Years Old He Rescued Boy on Trestle as Cars Approached.

Lyndon B. Phifer, of Rich Hill, Mo., a freshman in the department of Journalism of the University of Missouri, and perhaps the smallest student in the University, is attending school on an endowment from the Carnegie Hero Commission for bravery.

Two years ago Lyndon was with a crowd of smaller boys on a blackberry hunt. On reaching a railroad trestle, they started across with Lyndon and Paul Burrows 10 years old, in the rear. Before they were half way across, a freight train approached around a curve.

Without a moment to lose young Phifer grabbed the boy and threw him into the shallow water below. Then he jumped after him. The train shot past before the air brakes could be applied and the train crew found Lyndon pulling the frightened boy from the creek.

The boys said little regarding the affair, but it soon became known and was investigated. Disinterested persons informed the Carnegie Commission, which soon after awarded Lyndon \$2,000 to be used in attending school and a bronze medal. The parents of the rescued boy gave him a watch and chain.

Lyndon is 16 years old, five feet two inches tall and weighs 105 pounds. He is an accomplished pianist and violinist and an industrious student.

His father, C. L. Phifer, formerly published a paper at Pacific, Mo., and later one at California, Mo. He is now an editorial writer for the Appeal to Reason, published at Girard, Kansas.

SEVENTY-TWO HURT IN CRASH OF CARS

Trolleys Collide Head-On During Heavy Fog in Philadelphia.

By United Press.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 23.—Seventy-two persons were injured, seven of them fatally, when two trolley cars met head-on in a heavy fog here today.

A damaged signal, which gave both cars the right of way in the fog, is blamed for the collision. The cars were heavily loaded with workmen.

Both coaches were demolished and the bodies of the injured were widely scattered over the street.

TAFT DEPARTS FOR TOUR OF THE WEST

First Stop Will Be at Brook, Ind., George Ade's Home.

By United Press.

CINCINNATI, O., Sept. 23.—William H. Taft, republican candidate for president, departed today in a special train on a tour of the west. Judge Taft occupies the private car Constitution. Two Pullmans and a baggage car constitute the train, which is in charge of Dan Ransdell, sergeant-at-arms of the Senate.

A huge crowd accompanied the party to the station and cheered the departure. The first stop will be at Brook, Ind., the home of George Ade. Tonight Judge Taft will address a labor meeting in Chicago. Mrs. Taft and Helen and Charlie Taft started east.

Good Wishes From Brazil.

George E. Anderson, Consul General of the United States at Rio De Janeiro, Brazil, has forwarded to the department of journalism of the University of Missouri a number of Brazilian newspapers and adds his good wishes officially and as an American newspaper man interested in seeing the newspaper calling advance in influence and standing.

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PRESIDENT READY TO SUPPLY PROOF ABOUT HASKELL

Roosevelt Preparing Extended Statement Regarding the Standard Oil Exposures Made by W. R. Hearst.

BRYAN MAKES DEMAND FOR SPECIFIC EVIDENCE IN CASE

Doubt as to Identity of Man —C. W. Haskell Makes Denial.

FORAKER ASKS HELP

- OF NATIONAL COMMITTEE
- By United Press.
- CHICAGO, Sept. 23.—Senator
- Dick Foraker's lieutenant has been
- visiting republican headquarters,
- conferring with Chairman Hitch-
- cock and Senator Crane, for the
- purpose of arranging a compro-
- mise on Foraker's behalf. Foraker
- intends to stump Ohio for renom-
- ination to Senate, and is seeking
- the recognition of the National
- Committee.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 23.—Secretary Loeb today announced that President Roosevelt is preparing a lengthy answer to the demand of William Jennings Bryan, democratic candidate for the Presidency, made in a telegram to the President yesterday to the effect that he produce proof that Gov. Charles N. Haskell, of Oklahoma, treasurer of the Democratic National Committee, has been connected with the Standard Oil Company.

Because of the length of the President's reply, it will probably not be ready before tonight or tomorrow.

The announcement of Secretary Loeb is regarded as an intimation that President Roosevelt is preparing proofs of Haskell's guilt.

President Roosevelt conferred today with C. W. Haskell, who was suggested by Governor Haskell of Oklahoma as the man referred to by William Randolph Hearst in his sensational charges of complicity with Standard Oil.

C. W. Haskell assured the President that he has never been connected with Standard Oil and that he could not possibly be the man referred to.

BRYAN SAYS "SHOW ME" TO THE PRESIDENT

DETROIT, Sept. 23.—The newest development in the present campaign was the sending today by William J. Bryan of a telegram to President Roosevelt, demanding that he produce proof that Gov. Charles N. Haskell, of Oklahoma, treasurer of the Democratic National Committee, ever was connected with the Standard Oil Company.

Mr. Bryan took occasion to serve notice on the President that he would not permit any responsible member of the republican organization to misrepresent the attitude of the democratic party in the present campaign, and further that the democratic party was making "an honorable and honest fight" in defense of its principles and policies and that it expected and demanded fair and honorable treatment from those in charge of the republican campaign. Copies of the telegram were given out for publication just before Mr. Bryan's departure for Ann Arbor, late in the afternoon.

The program of the local committee included an opportunity to Mr. Bryan to take a long rest in the forenoon, but the statement of President Roosevelt, published this morning, in which the President indorsed the charges made against Gov. Haskell by William R. Hearst that Gov. Haskell had been connected with the Standard Oil Company and had attempted to bribe Attorney-General Frank Monnett, of Ohio, was sufficient to cause him to forego that much-needed luxury and devote himself to the subject of preparing a reply.

He called to his assistance John E. Lamb, of Indiana; Edwin O. Wood, National Committeeman from Michigan, and several other democratic leaders, and also held lengthy conferences over long-distance telephone with New York and Chicago. Altogether, Mr. Bryan consumed five hours in these consultations before concluding to address his telegram to the Chief Executive.

Mr. Bryan's letter to the President follows:

"The Honorable Theodore Roosevelt, (Continued on Third Page.)"